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A DARING YOUNG WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE
WITH THE WILD ANIMALS. SEE THE
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NEW YORK OR ASTORVILLE?

LAST EDITION.
NEEDS A
NEW DOCTOR.

The Tammany Tiger Suffering
from Severe Internal
Disorders.

BICKERINGS AMONG LEADERS.

Thousands of the Wigwam Fol-
lowers Disaffected and in a
Spirit to Revolt.

MANY ANXIOUS TO PRESCRIBE.

Republicans, New York Democrats
and Others Think They Know
the Proper Medicine.

When Richard Croker returns to New
York he will be confronted by a condi-
tion, not a theory, as President Cleve-
land would say.

In theory he will still have a magnifi-
cent Tammany organization at his back,
but in reality he will have a house di-
vided against itself. It will be a much
different Tammany from the one he left
here when he started on his pleasure
trip to cross the continent in a palace
car.

Nursed and nourished with political
pap, and "protected" when assailed in or
out of court, the Tammany offspring
grew to healthy proportions, but when its
source of nurture was cut off it grew
restless. Disaffection has become fast.

As everything in Tammany Hall is
done in the name of Croker, whether he
sanctions it or not, it was difficult, some
think folly, for his henchmen to try
and make the public believe he was not
responsible, directly or indirectly, for
the deeds of the election officers. His
reputation of their acts has not been
taken seriously, and his absence at a
time when Tammany men were in danger
has led to the bitterest of feelings in the
organization.

The further he went away the more
widespread became the disaffection. Every
mile the ruler of Tammany Hall has
travelled away from New York has
according to the best judges in the
organization, caused a loss to it of ten
votes. It is 3,000 miles from here to San
Francisco, and 3,000 multiplied by 10 is
30,000.

Tammany Now at Bay.

There has been a disaffected element
in Tammany Hall for many years, which,
although eager for vengeance, never be-
fore had the opportunity that is now
offered. Their day has come and the dis-
affected ones are asserting themselves.

The reason why Tammany has never
been overthrown is because the latter
never developed strong enough under the
iron hand of boss rule. Neither did they
have anything to fear from the Republi-
can party of New York City as for-
mally constituted. It was always re-
garded as a tender to Tammany Hall.

Overconfidence resulted in defeat at the
polls; overconfidence that they could
always retain their hold on the organiza-
tion, whether here or away, has shown
the houses they have counted with-
out their host.

The independent movement has gained
an impetus that has not been known
in the history of politics in New
York has never been displayed so much
in the local politics of the city of the
year. There before since Tammany
has returned to power have men in busi-
ness and in politics, who were with the
independent movement, dared to hurl
denunciations at Tammany Hall.

They feared Tammany's vengeance. They feared
the fact that they are acting without ap-
parent fear and restraint now is con-
sidered as proof that they are no longer
in faction with Wigwam rule and meth-
ods in general, and this has encouraged
the discontented ones within the organi-
zation to make felt their long-restrained
displeasure.

Handwriting on the Wall.

Tammany has ruled and subsisted on
the principle enunciated by Alderman
Flynn in the Board of Aldermen: "We
are the power." Thus when the Anti-
Snappers were organized in May, 1893,
Richard Croker, Thomas F. Gilroy,
Hugh Grant and W. Bourke Cockran,
among others, then looked upon as the
"Big Four," said as one man: "Let them
organize. Tammany does not admit that
it has any voice to lose."

Mr. Croker and Gilroy do not acknowl-
edge it. Grant and Cockran will, that
the tiger is gone. To these men the
purpose and determination to extermi-
nate it.

In 1892 the County Democracy was
defunct. The P. M. L. combination was
in disgrace. A Democrat had but one
choice, to vote for the Tammany ticket
or to vote for the Anti-Snappers. That is
why Croker said: "Tammany is invincible."
That is why Tammany men said: "Croker
is great."

In 1894 Richard Croker is junketing
across the continent in a princely draw-
ing-room on wheels and leaving the
Tammany organization to the mercy of
the Anti-Snappers and the County Demo-
crats. The State Democracy, the Anti-
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can Reform Union and the numerous other
factions which are recruiting their ranks
with the Tammany men, who have been
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"Coercion."

They find more congenial company and
leaders in other Democratic organiza-
tions, and hope for honest government
under Anti-Tammany rule. These are
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to turn out.

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